

LISTING OF THE CLAIMS (1-19)

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Claims 1-10 (canceled) ✓

C<sup>1</sup> Claim 11 (New): A method for performing a partial calibration of an image capture system comprising a scanner and a host computer, said method comprising:

In response to a condition recognized by the scanning system, retrieving operational data from a memory element of a host computer, wherein said operational data is restricted to data from previous scans and calibrations;

evaluating data from an operational sensor of the image capture system;

determining that an operational condition is not within a norm; and

issuing a control command to adjust said operational condition.

Claim 12 (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein said operational condition is a gain of a CCD amplifier.

Claim 13 (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein said operational condition is a home position.

Claim 14 (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein said operational condition is a DC offset.

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Claim 15 (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein said operational condition is a lamp uniformity.

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Claim <sup>16</sup>~~15~~ (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein the recognized condition is a connection of a cable.

Claim <sup>17</sup>~~16~~ (New): The method of Claim <sup>16</sup>~~15~~, wherein said cable is a universal serial bus cable.

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Claim <sup>18</sup>~~17~~ (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein the recognized condition is a home position failure.

Claim <sup>19</sup>~~18~~ (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein the recognized condition is a lamp temperature.

Claim <sup>20</sup>~~19~~ (New): The method of Claim 11, wherein the recognized condition is a an exposure balance between color channels.